disclosed a machine for recording the moving picture, with the object of reproducing the procession through the medium of the vitaprocession through the medium of the scope, or some contrivance of a similar sort. The proprietor of the machine displayed a permit from the Department of Public Parks, so that the police were powerless to remove him. But there were hundreds who remarked upon the exceedingly bad taste that allowed such an

#### THE DAY AT THE HOTEL.

CROWDS, AS USUAL, THERE TO GET A GLIMPSE OF THE VICEROY.

AN ANIMATED CONVERSATION WITH A WOMAN, IN WHICH THE AMBASSADOR ASKS HER SOME

EMBARRASSING QUESTIONS ABOUT THE THINGS SHE PRAYS FOR

Li Hung Chang did not shed the glittering splen dorf yesterday until 2 o'clock in the afternoon when he started for the tomb of General Grant. All forenoon, and until 3 o'clock in the afternoon a curious, eager crowd surrounded the hotel and flocked into the corridor, waiting to get a glimpse of the great Chinese statesman. After the dinner given in his honor on Saturday night, the Ambassa lowed by members of his suite, leaving word that he was not to be disturbed. He was up at the usual hour vesterday morning, but he did not leave his apartments, keeping the members of his suite

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vator shaft to the door, and a crowd had collected in the street.

PREPARING FOR THE START.

While the party was waiting two servants sud-denly came down in the elevator and hurried to the door. They each carried two large bundles, which, it was learned, contained a number of footrests and rugs. These were put into a carriage, Just then an escort of mounted police clattered up and scattered the crowd in front of the door. The carriage which has carried Li Hung Chang on all his excursions around the city was driven up to the door. The footman alighted and then every one looked for the appearance of the Vice-

rey.

They did not have long to walt, Li Hung Chang came downstairs in the elevator. With him were Colonel Grant and General Ruger. He was clothed in all the gorgeousness of his yellow jacket, peaceck plume, slik boots, plum colored trousers and light-blue sk rt. On his breast was the German decoration of the Black Eagle. His eyelasses, huge rimmed and powerful, gave him a benignant look, and he walked with a slow, solemn step. He was half-smiling as he proceeded along the corridor, looking from right to left, as if in search of a familiar face. He bowed twice when saluted, and, seeing a woman in the assemblage whom he

A FASHIONABLE CHINAMAN IN TROUBLE

While the party in the Waldorf corridor was wait-

dressed in the clothes of an American, wandered

into the hotel. He was tall and portly, and he was

intoxicated. He wore an immense diamond ring and a diamond scarpin, and his queue was neatly

quaintly:
"Glad to see me; glad to see him. Vely gleat
men. Much big manadarin-much monee-much

man. Much big manadarin-much monee-much wise man-much — but words overcame him and he wandered out and communicated the rest of his information to a policeman, who took him gently by the arm and led him to Broadway, and there told him to go horre, or Li Hung Chang would have his head cut off. He went off mumbling about the

"vely gleat man."

Returning to the hotel, after the visit to the tomb.

Li Hung Chang went at once to his room, and was seen no more in public during the rest of the day. He dined in his apartments at 7 o'clock, and not long afterward retired. The members of his suite dined in the café in the hotel, and also retired early.

THE VICEROY'S SON IN PELL-ST.

HE AND OTHERS OF THE EMBASSY DINE THERE

Chinatown was honored last night by a visit from

WITH A COUNTRYMAN.

one of Li Hung Chang's sons, who, with eleven mem-

bers of the Viceroy's staff, came in carriages from the Hotel Waldorf to No. 34 Pell-st., which is occu-

pled by Wing Woh Churg & Co., Chinese merchants, They, with six attaches of the Chinese Minister at

Washington, were the guests of the Chinese Consul-

the room over Wing Woh Chung & Co.'s store. The

General at Hayana at a dinner which was served i

icanized Chinaman named Yen were also present.

SCENES IN CHINATOWN.

NESE THEATRE CLOSED BY

THE POLICE.

Mott-st, was crowded with hundreds of visite

yesterday, all attracted by the unusual sight which

the flying pennons and banners, the lanterns, paper

designs and Chinese mottoes presented. The pro-

portion of Chinamen in the crowd was fairly large,

A few of the lanterns were as large as prize

watermelons, but most of them were of the usual

the street. A huge butterfly figure was nailed

head down over the door at No. 19 Mott-st., with

thorax. A figure resembling a bat was nailed next

to this, and running along for several yards after

that a broad strip of yellow bunting. American

the Chinese flag seemed to hang from every other

window, bearing its emblematic figure of the im-

perial dragon. This device is painted on yellow cloth, sometimes bordered with red, and of square

or triangular shape. The largest covers about

twenty square feet, and is suspended over Pell-st.

A miniature house, with balcony and figures

curious crowd. The visitors were curious about

everything, however, and peered into every window

bled over each other in crowds whenever a Chinese

child was led across the street, dressed in gay holi-

day clothes, with a regulation pigtail falling from

who stood grains upward with an increase carry like that which the bany hippoporamus in Central Park arouses when he climbs out of his bath. The frequent sounds of Chinese instruments in the district collected small groups wherever the "music" was dispensed. One of these places was the room who was dispensed. One of these places was the room above Wo On & Co.'s grocery store, at Fell and Doyers sig. The entertainment here was both vocal bord instrumental, the high-toned squawk of the sing-

stood gazing upward with an interest exactly

near its junction with Mott-st.

his tiny, braided pate.



LI HUNG CHANG AND HIS RETINUE RETURNING FROM GRANT'S TOMB. remembered, he waved his hand at her and bowed profoundly. He seemed highly amused at something and chuckled as he went down the steps to his carriage. As before, when he entered a carriage a servant hurried forward and lifted his master's right foot and placed it carefully upon the step, while two others assisted him to the seat. When in his place he glanced inquiringly at Colonel Grant, who stepped into the carriage and took his seat. The next person to get in was Li Hung Chang's interpreter, and then General Ruger followed and closed the door after him. General Horace Porter and Captain Mills followed in the next carriage, and then came the other members of the suite. Yang Yu, the Chinese Minister at Washington, and his private secretary had a carriage to themselves.

A FASHIONABLE CHINAMAN IN TROUBLE.

At 7 o'clock Li Hung Chang ate his breakfast in his room. This breakfast was prepared by his own cooks and carried to him through the private dumbwaiter leading up to his rooms. He ate, as usual, some boiled chicken with rice, exceptionally fat bacon, some peculiar kind of fritters and drank tea. The members of his suite had their meals upstairs, their own servants taking up the food. As early as 3 o'clock, owing to the fact that in some places it was erroneously reported that the start for General Grant's tomb would be made at that hour, the crowds began to gather around the hotel. They stood along Fifth-ave, and Thirtythird-st., and stared with bulging eyes at the

HIS IDEA OF PRAYERS.

Before entering the banquet hall on Saturday evening. Li Hung Chang held an impromptu reception in the Turkish room at the Waldorf. He took his seat carefully on a huge chair, adjusted his peacock feather and yellow jacket, and arranged his suite around him. John Russell Young, George F. Seward and John W. Foster, as well as others, took seats near him. He leisurely smoked and chatted with those about him. In the course of a conversation with a woman who had been introduced to him, she asked Li Hung Chang if he would attend church to-day. He turned gravely and

"Every Sunday!" asked the great inquisitor. Well-er-well, nearly every Sunday," was the

faltering reply. "De you believe in the efficacy of prayer?" was

the next searching question that came from the statesman's lips.

"Oh, yes," was the answer.

"What do you pray for?"
The woman tried to evade the question, but maneged to stammer out: "Oh, I pray to do right, and to be happy and be forgiven for what I have done that is wrong."

The interpreter smiled as he translated the

Li Hung Chang's eyes twinkled, as he enswered: "Do you get all you pray for?"

This was an unexpected question, but she said

dublously: "I believe " replied Li Hung Chang, when the an swer had been interpreted to him, "you do not

know whether there is any reply to your prayers or not; you only believe so. "Oh, yes, I know," rejoined the woman faintly, but she was glad to turn around and get away

from the inquisition. Her friends laughed, and Li Hung Chang seemed highly amused. WREATHS ARRIVE AT THE HOTEL.

Nothing about the hotel yesterday morning attracted any special interest. The usual detail of Army officers were on hand, but they had nothing Early in the day a boy arrived at the hotel bearing a huge box, in which were the wreaths which Li Hung Chang intended to place upon the tomb of General Grant, A few moments before he was ready to go to the tomb the Viceroy sent for the wreaths. He had them carefully unpacked in his presence and examined them inutely. After a deliberate investigation he decided that they were all right and he had them returned to the box. The box was taken out and to loaded into a carriage, which was hurriedly driven off before the party started for the tomb.

Colonel Frederick D. Grant, accompanied by his brother, U. S. Grant, and his son, U. S. Grant, fr. reached the hotel shortly before 3 o'clock. The Colonel at once went upstairs to have a conference with Li Hung Chang. Returning he consulted with his brother, and in a few moment U. S. Grant entered a carriage and drove to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, where his mother is staying. He explained toat it was his intention to get his mother and take her to Colonel Grant's home in East Sixty-second-st, where a reception was to be held in honor of Li Hung Chang after the ceremonies at the tomb. General Horace Porter, John W. Foster, Mr. Seward and others arrived at the hotel within a few moments, and General Ruger soon appeared with his personal staff. The increased activity gave warning that Li Hung Chang was about to appear, and every one was easer and extectant.

but the street was plentifully sprinkled with people of all races, many of them well-dressed Americans Pell and Doyer sts. were also througed, and the flags and lanterns were thickly scattered there. appear, and every one was eager and expectant. The hallway was lined with people from the ele size, and were hung on strings stretched across



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er mingling with the jangle of twanging strings. The players sat in plain sight at the windows, to witness the admiration they excited and get the benefit of the air at the same time.

A full orchestra was at work in the Chinese Theatre, comprising wind and string instruments, and a porderous metal affair, which sounded like the goings that aummon the guests to meals in some scuside that aummon the guests to meals in some scuside that aummon the guests to meals in some scuside that aummon the wind acknowledges." The audience was almost entirely Chinese. Really, a love-scene was heing enacted in a grotesque mixture of opera and play, while the audience grinned their applause and filled the room with smoke, when the police stepped in and put an end to the performance. The players wasted no time in getting off the stage after the official command, and the spectators made the air noisy with voluble chatter. The latter finally filled out in good order under the direction of the police, receiving tickets for future admirssion to compensate for the loss of the test of the play. One of the Chinamen in the ancience told a reporter that a Chinese woman who had figured in the place received \$1,500 a year for her daily services as an actress.

TO REVIEW THE WEST POINT CADETS. West Point, N. Y., Aug. 30 -Upon his arrival here o-morrow afternoon Li Hung Chang, the Chinese Ambassador, will be met at the landing by Colonel Ernst and his military staff. The party will be conveyed in carriages to the parade grounds under the escort of the cavalry detachment commanded by Captain Parker. At 4 o'clock there will be a review of the battalion of cadets under command of Colonel Mills, after which there will be a reception for the Ambassador and his suite at the Superintendent's quarters. The party is expected to reach here about 2 o'clock.

HE WILL BE WELCOMED IN VANCOUVER. Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 28.—The Chinese mer-chants of Vancouver have decided not to be behind their cousins in the East in showing honor to China's "Grand Old Man," Li Hung Chang. Ar-rangements have been made to give His Excellency a grand reception on his arrival here. A triumphal arch and fireworks on a grand scale have been de-cided on. The full programme has not yet been made public.

#### AN ELABORATE PLAN DISCLOSED.

THE ATTACK ON THE OTTOMAN BANK CAUSED A MISCARRIAGE OF THE PLANS. London, Aug. 30.- "The Daily News" to-morrow will publish a dispatch from Constantinople giving a report of an interview with Mr. Barker, who, instead of Governor Vincent, as before reported, was held as a hostage by the Armenians who seized the Ottoman Bank on Wednesday last. Mr. Barker says his captors told him they came from Macedonia, and that they intended also to attack the Porte and the Patriarchate, to blow up the Voivoida police station and seize the Credit Lyonnais, but maters were precipitated at the Ottoman Bank.

They further said that they would shortly return to Constantinople and persist in their demands upon the Government until they should get what they requested, namely, the reforms formulated by the Powers in 1895, to-gether with complete autonomy for one prov-

QUIET IN CONSTANTINOPLE. THE FOREIGN DIPLOMATS WARN THE SULTAN-TO NIGHT'S CELEBRATION.

Constantinople, Aug. 30,-The city to-day has been quiet, and no reports of further disturbances have been received. It is officially announced that the Government has decided to leave it to the choice of the residents whether or not the city shall be be permitted, however,

Lost night a number of shots were fired and

bombs exploded in the Galata quarter. Six Armenians were arrested. Bombs were also thrown at offices of the Credit Lyonnais and the Tobacco

Regis.
Yesterday the foreign diplomats, after holding a somewhat protracted conference, sent a strongly worded note to the Vildiz Falace, appealing to the Sultan directly, in the name of the countries they represented, to put a stop to the horrors which were being enacted, and to which, in some instances, members of the various Embassies had been eyewitnesses. The foreign representatives, in their note, mentioned the violation and pilinge of the homes of foreigners and the massacre of Armenians, and warned the Sultan of the grave consequences which would ensue if a stop were not put to the killing and pillage. and a diamond scarfpin, and his queue was neatly braided and fastened under a fashionable hat. He had evidently been celebrating the visit of his great countryman. He walked as well as possible, but his eye was glassy and at times he wavered in an uncertain way. He started down the long corridor that leads to the Chinese apartments. When he reached the elevator he stopped and stared. Then he mumbled:

"Where?" Where?"
It was surmised that he was looking for Li Hung Chang, and he was told that the Viceroy was just about te come downstairs and go out. He looked stupidly at the one who gave him this information, but while he was still mentally digesting the importance of the news, there was a rush and Li Hung Chang stepped out of the elevator. The Chinaman backed so far off as to lead one to believe he was trying to go through the side of the house. When Li Hung Chang had driven off, the visitor said quantity:

"Gha to see me glad to see him. Vely gleat the killing and pillage

ENCOURAGE TENT FOR THE SULTAN. A REPORT THAT RUSSIA AND AUSTRIA WILL RESIST THE ARMENIAN DEMANDS.

Vienna, Aug. 30.-It is reported here that an understanding has been reached between Russia and Austria, by the terms of which the two govern-ments will oppose the claims of the Armenians upon Turkey, and will support the Sultan in the main-tenance of his territory intact.

#### RAILWAY UNIONS FOR FEDERATION.

THE FIVE BIG BROTHERHOODS VOTE TO CARRY OUT THE IDEA.

Indianapolis, Aug. 20 (Special) .- A meeting of railroad workingmen was held to-day at Masonic Hall which was largely attended by the rank and file as well as the National officers. There were present P. M. Arthur, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; Chief Prank P. Sargent, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen; Chief E. E. Brotherhood of Locomotive Fremen; Chief E. E. Clark, of the Order of Railway Conductors; Chief P. H. Morrison, of the Order of Railway Trainmen, and Chief K. R. Austin, of the Order of Railway Telegraphers. William Hugo, of this city, presided. The purpose was to consider the propriety of the of these five leading railway organizations. Addresses were made by each of the chiefs named above. It was remarkable that the idea of federation encountered no opposition, even from Chief Arthur, whose record has been consistently antagonistic for a score and more of years. He has entagonistic for a score refused to affiliate with other refused to permit the engineers to affiliate with other organizations, even of railway men, and was particularly hostile to the American Railway Union In his speech to-day he said nothing in opposition to the idea and voted with the balance for federation. New-York Chinese Consul S. T. Sze, and an Amercarriages and were driven back to the Waldorf.

The two Consuls and their secretaries and Mr. Yen, who is a student at Alexandria, held an informal reception after the dinner in the rear of the store below, where the Consuls made speeches to a throng of Chinamen who filled the store.

It was said by Mr. Yen that the diners were all members of a Chinese guild, the principal headquarters of which are in Canton.

It required the services of two stallwart policement to prevent the curious sightseers, with whom Chinatown was overflowing, from forcing their presence upon the gathering of Chinamen. A resolution was passed declaring it the sense of the

Believille, III. Aug. 29.—The twelfth annual en-campment of the Western Branch of the North MANY CURIOUS VISITORS THERE-THE CHI-American Kriegerbund (German war veteran deties) was begun here to-day. Eighteen States and British America were represented by delegates. The 551 societies of the Western Branch sent 1,500 representatives. The exercises were held at the fair grounds. After reveille the delegates, escorted by the local G. A. R. post, paraded through the city. Mayor Sunkel, a Civil War veteran, made the welcoming speech. The Rev. William Weber, of Belleville, ex-president of the Kriegerbund, then addressed the delegates for one hour. The ruling tone of his remarks was loyalty to America. His tone of his rathe Germans of America who sang "The Watch on the Rhine" would be found keeping step to "Yankee Doadle" when the country called was holsteroisty applicated. Three cheers for the step to Yankee Doodle when the country causes was bolsterously applianded. Three cheers for the Stars and Stripes funshed the formal exercises, and the day ended with music and athletic games. The principal officers of the bund are: F. Schrader, of Rutesville, Ind., president; J. E. Grunn, Carnegie, Penn., vice-president; Julius Eggers, Chicago, secretary; Louis Ertel, Cincinnati, treasurer. green and black-and-yellow wings and a pink

flags and bunting were displayed in profusion, and FATAL COLLISION ON THE FITCHBURG. Orange, Mass., Aug. 20.-Engineer William Clements thirty-five yea's old, was instantly killed shortly after 5 o'clock this morning in a collision on the Fitchburg Railroad, built a mile east of this place. George Fowler, fireman, was fatally injured, and W. S. Sexton, brakeman, received a bad out on the head, and was unconscious for several hours. A big passenger engine, No. 4, twelve freight cars loaded with merchandise and one passenger coach were almost totally wrecked. The money loss is estimated at \$40,000 to \$50,000. A mistake in signals was the cause. within, hung at No. 331, Mott-st., and attracted a

where a group of Chinamen could be seen, in hopes of discovering some unusual sight, or tum-IT PAYS to buy MILLER Lamps. BEAUTIFUL or CHEAP in DESIGN, Every Lamp Gives Perfect Satisfaction. When the bables were exhibited at the windows

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A FIRM STAND AGAINST THE KAISER'S SECRET ADVISERS EXPECTED.

GERMAN SOCIALISTS TO MEET OCTOBER II-QUESTIONS TO BE DEBATED-BER-LIN SOCIAL NOTES.

(Copyrighted | 1896 | By the United Associated Presser) Berlin, Aug. 30.—The temporary silence of the German newspapers in regard to the Ministerial crisis does not imply that the Emperor has atranged with Prince Von Hohenlohe that the latter shall retain the Chancellorship, nor does the announcement of the "Reichanzeiger," the official gazette, that a bill for the reform of military judicial procedure is to be considered by the Bundesrath, avert the resignation of the Chancellor or remove the probability of a illuminated to-morrow evening upon the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the accession to the fact is that a great deal depends upon the nature of throne of the Sultan. No pyrotechnic displays will | the measure placed before the Bundesrath. If the imperor assents to the reform demanded by the Reichstag making the military tribunals' independent proceedings and the Supreme Military Courts' final proceedings public no constitutional struggle will proceedings public no constitutional struggle will arise over this question. But the Emperor certainly will not assent to such a measure, and every one know \$\phi\$: the exact situation still expects that the matte, will give rise to a fight in the Relchstag of the graves' character in defence of the constitutional authority against the court cabals. If Prince Von Hohenlohe retires after seeing that the visit of the signal for a general rising against the Emperor's secret advisors, bis Milliany Cabinet, his Naval Cabinet and his Civil Cabinet, which are now practically ruling the affairs of the Empire.

It is now announced that the annual congress of the German Socialists will be convened at Siebenlehn, near Gotha, on October II. The programme of the Congress is heavily charged with resolutions in which a number of new questions appear. Foremost of these is the question of reorganizing the Directing mechanism suffered to a great degree under the decrees issued against Socialists by Herr Von Köller during the latter part of that gentleman's occupancy of the post of Prussian Minister of the Interior. Then there are the reports of Herr Babel, the Socialist leader in the Reichstag, upon the international Socialist Congress recently held in London, applying to the German Socialists the lessons which the Continental Socialists the lessons which the Continental Socialists learned at the London Congress. The Congress will probably support the proposal for proportional representation, which, if adopted, would have the effect of sending ninety-five Socialists to the Reichstag, instead of forty-three, as at present, The Reichstag, instead of forty-three, as at present, The Reichstag instead of forty-three, and the Soudan campaign is likely to prove a far more serious affair than at first expected, and the hopes that the defeat of the Dervishes at Firket would destroy the president of the Bedouin towards and the fort of the received in London, the Soudan campaign is likely to prove a far more serious affair than at first expected, and the hopes that the defeat of the Dervishes at Firket would destroy the president of the Dervishes at Firket would destroy the proposal for proportional representations and the condition of the Bedouins towards and the forth of the Congress. Committee and the Local Committees, whose working

The International Women's Congress which is to sit in September now counts 300 delegates as certain to be present, including Florence Routledge, of the British Women's Trades Union League.

The "Tageblatt" is still pursuing the question of the safeguarding of German interests in Samoa. In an article published yesterday the paper says that in consequence of American intrigues in Samoa the Ger-man cruisers Bussard and Falke and the dispatch hoat Mowe have been ordered to Apia.

begun to return to the Baden races, once their favor-For the first time since 1870 French visitors have

the victor of a noted long-distance ride, was killed a day or two ago by being thrown from his horse. He was the son of a Mr. Harlan, a former United States Consul in Germany, who is now living in retirement in Dresden.

Doctor Barth, the noted Radical Unionist leader in the Reichstag, sailed for New-York from Bremen on August 25 on board the steamer Havel. He goes to America for the purpose of watching the Presidential campaign and the election.

The American Theosophists, Mmes, Tingley Wright and Messre, Hargrove and Patterson, had a warm reception upon their arrival here at the hands of the representative Thosophists of Germany. The Thosophists of Berlin, Hamburg, Dresden, Nurem-berg and Breslau have sent delegates to the Theoso-phist Convention.

Lieutenant C. E. Vreeland, Naval Attaché to the United States Embassy here, has returned to his post at the Embassy from Rome. He will be relieved in September by Lieutenant Niblack.

SAID KALID TO BE SURRENDERED.

BUT GERMANY WILL NOT CONSENT TO HAVE

ZANZIBAR BECOME A BRITISH COLONY. Berlin, Aug. 30.—The Emperor gave a prolonged

Freiherr Marschall von Bieberstein, Minister of Foreign Affairs. The interviews resulted, among other decisions, in a resolve not to assent to Great Britain's conversion of the protectorate of Zanzibar into a It was also agreed that, in view of the fact that it

might prejudice German consular rights to act other-wise, Said Kalid, the usurping Sultan, who escaped from the burning palace at Zanzibar and took refuge at the German Consulate, should be surrendered to the British authorities if he is guaranteed treat-ment as a prince and a prisoner of war.

A GREAT DIMINITION IN SEALS.

THE AMERICAN COMMISSION ON BOARD THE UNITED STATES STEAMER ALBATROSS

Seattle, Wash, Aug. 30 - Advices were received last night from the Government Commission appointed to investigate seal fisheries in northern waters. Dr. David Starr Jordan, who is at the head of the American Commission, says that the herds have diminished to an insignificant fraction of their former proportions. The North American Commercial Company will be unable to secur than 15,000 sk ns from the herds on the Pribylands this season. United States steamer Albatross, having the milers of the commission on board, is now using off the coast of Japan in company with a panese gunboat.

CZAR AND CZARINA IN KIEFF.

Kieff, Aug. 30.-All of the public and many of the Czarina, who, it is expected, will remain here from August 31 to September 3. Crowds of people from the surrounding country are flocking into the city, and the hotels are already crowded to their fullest capacity.

The Governor further says that he drove 4,000 of the conspirators, most of whom were poorly armed, to the surrounding country are flocking into the city wooded mountains. He asks that a force of 1,000 infantry and 1,000 marines be sent to Manila at once. The Government will grant his request and

#### ROUND ABOUT EUROPE.

BER OF THE HEBREW RACE.

EMPEROR WILLIAM CITES SCRIPTURE IN BE-HALF OF DUELLING-EXTRAORDINARY STORY ABOUT EXPLORER NANSEN'S DIVORCE AND APPROACHING MARRIAGE-VAL-KYRIE III HOME AGAIN-FIN-

LAND RECOVERS HER PREROGATIVES.

There will be no opposition to the election nex month of Alderman Faudel Phillips to the post Lord Mayor of London, the Alderman in question being the next in rota for the office. A member of the Hebrew race, his father, the late Sir Ber jamin Phillips, was Lord Mayor of London thirt, years ago, and his family owns the greatest to manufacturing business in the United Kingdon The Alderman is married to a sister of Sir Edward Levi Lawson, proprietor and Editor of "The Daily Telegraph," while his own sister is the wife of Lord Pirbright, better known by the name of Baron De Worms, which he bore during the many years that he sat on the Conservative bench of the House of Commons.

In a recent number of the "Military Weekly," at official organ issued at Berlin under the auspices of the War Department, there appeared an exof the War Department, there appeared an ex-traordinary essay, said, on excellent authority, to be inspired by the Emperor, repeating a number of arguments of His Majesty in favor of duelling. The object of the article is to prove that the prac-tice is not inconsistent with Christianity, and while a number of verses are quoted from the lible to show that duelling is specificed by the Bible to show that duelling is sanctioned by the Holy Scripture, a new and decidedly ingenious in-terpretation is placed by the author of the essay upon those texts which were cited some time ago by the Synod of the National Lutheran Church of Prussia condemning the system.

Protectionists in France are up in arms agains the action of the Government in accompanying the recent promulgation of the law converting Madaascar into a French colony by an announcement that the customs duties on foreign imports to the island are for the present to be only 10 per cent ad valorem. It is pointed out that this is a rate onsiderably less than that which is charged in a other French colonies With regard to the con-cessions granted to Americans and Englishmen in Madagascar by the ex-Queen, no decision is likely to be reached by the French Government before the end of next month

An extraordinary story is current in the Euro pean press to the effect that the Arctic explorer Dr. Nausen is about to be remarried to his wife, in consequence of the fact that prior to his de parture on his last voyage in search of the North Pole he divorced her, in order to permit her marry again in case of his disappearance or death without going to the trouble of proving his decase. In order to understand this it must be explained that in many countries in Europe greaterictness prevails with regard to the remarriage of women whose husbands' deaths cannot be legally proved, absences of seven, ten and ever fitteen years being required by law to furnish satisfactory evidence that a missing spouse is no longer in the land of the living.

A singularly displeasing sidelight upon the British methods of the administration of India is furnished by the discussion now in progress in the shooting his wife blew out his own brains in con sequence of his inability to submit any longer to the humiliations and petty tyrannies to which he the ruler of a vassal and nominally independent State of Central India, was subjected throughout a period of two years by the English officer ac-credited to his court as political resident and agent of the Viceroy. Relations between Brussels and Berlin are se

verely strained at the present moment in connection with an incident in the Congo Free State bearing a striking analogy with what is known as the Stokes affair. That is to say, a German caravan was plundered by Free State troops and the Germa traders subjected not only to heavy losses, but also to personal injury and many indignities. In an ar icle asserted to be inspired by the Berlin Govticle asserted to be inspired by the Berlin Govetnment, the "Cologne Gazette" calls the attention
of King Leopoid to the fact that the acquittal of
Major Lothairs for the hanging of the English
missionary trader Stokes and the outrage to which
the German merchants above referred to were subjected virtually annul the conditions on which the
Congo State was recognized by the Powers. Chief
among these conditions was that its territory
should be free to all nations to trade in; but traders
will scarcely venture to go there now with the
fate of Stokes and of the German merchants before their eyes.

tion on the part of the desert tribes throughout Northern Africa is held to prove that the Mahdi Northern Africa is held to prove that the Mahdi has secured the powerful co-operation of the Grand Master of the Senoussi, an order which holds in the Mahometan world a position analogous but immeasurably superior to that of the Jesuit fraternity in the Catholic world. Moreover, the Dervishes are convinced that the ravages of cholera among the Anglo-Egyptian forces on the Nile are attributable to a divine intervention of Aliah in favor of the true believers, and have been so much encouraged thereby as to reoccupy a number of positions which they had abandoned.

Valkyrie III has returned quietly and unobtrusively to her native waters. She was sailed across by a crew of fourteen men, who are all enthusiastic about her qualities as a sea boat, and she arrived in the Clyde last week, just as the yachting season is closing here. Lord Dunraven, however, does not intend to sail the boat which has already caused him so much bitterness.

No European capital is so poorly off as Paris in the matter of the accessibility of its railway ter-mini, all of which, with the exception of the St. Lazare railroad station, are in the outskirts of the metropolis and at vast distances from one another. Every tourist and traveller will be, therefore, glad to hear that the Orleans Railroad Company is about to extend its line to a new station on the Quai d'Orsay, right in the very centre of the city, and adjoining the Chamber of Deputies. The new station is to be erected on the site of the Cour des Comptes, that picturesque creeper-clad ruin, which is almost the sole memorial left in Paris of the destructive work of the Commune. The new line is to come part of the way along the Seine in an open cutting, then from the Pont Sully onward it will be covered with side lights from the Seine. It will not, therefore, involve any disfigurement to the city, and will prove an inestimable boon to the great international exhibition of 1996. Every tourist and traveller will be, therefore, glad

The Grand Duchy of Finland, which was threatened under the late Czar with the loss of its liberties, in defiance of his promises and in deference to the aims of the fanatics of unification of the Russian Empire, has received some of them back from his sen. The Finnish Senate recovers the power of appointing and dismissing officials and of dealing with the budget of the Grand Duchy, the control of education and certain other powers re-lating to the judicial system and to finance. It is not stated whether these restored rights incluse the power of putting into force the new benal code, which was suspended just as it was about to come into operation five years ago, and apparently the postal administration still remains under Russian control. Still, the action of the Czar, so far as it goes, is a matter of congratulation, and will tend to revive the hopes freely expressed at the begin-ning of his reign and rudely dispelled by his famous speech to the Zemsivos. control of education and certain other powers re-Civilization in India is not without its disad-

vantages, if one is to judge from the phenomenal increase in the number of poisonings in recent cears-an increase which is exciting the attention of the India Office in London. Formerly pounded of the India Office in London. Formerly pounded glass and opium were the favorite agents of destruction used. But education from a European point of view has imparted to the dwellers of Hindostan knowledge of a number of new and far more deadly compounds and drugs. The majority of the victims are men and children. In India it is a favorite way of paying off an old score to poison the child of one's enemy, while according to official statistics in the majority of cases where men have been poisoned the culprit has turned out to be his mother-in-law.

PHILIPPINE REBELLION PUT DOWN.

BUT THE GOVERNOR OF THE ISLANDS ASKS THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT FOR 2000 MEN.

Manifid, Aug. 30.-The Governor of the Philippine Islands telegraphed to-day to the Home Government that he easily dispersed a force of 1,000 armed rebels, who gathered in groups after it became known that the conspiracy for the securing of independence for the islands in which they were

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London, Aug. 20.—"The Standard" will publish to-morrow a dispatch from Madrid saying that the Spanish Government has expressed approval of the decree which Captain-General Weyler has decided to issue suspending the work of gathering the coffee erop in Cuba, and also of his action forbidding Span-lards and foreigners to hold any dealings with the

Incurrents.

The dispatch also says that the American consuls in Cuba have protested against the enforcement of the latter order usen the ground that it would prevent them from securing information that the State Department at Washingon requires, and would be conductive to demands for indemnity by American citizens whose property suffered in consequence of the carrying out of the order.

WATCHING THE DAUNTLESS. Savannah, Ga. Aug. 30.-The revenue cutter Boutwell has gone to Brunswick, presumably to watch the Dauntless. The quarantine authorities will allow the

Dauntiless. The quartance and the so desires, which, it is understood, she does, but she will be watched. No steps have yet been taken to arrest the officers for violation of neutrality laws. For several days the Dauntiess was obliged to use sea water in her backers, and on her arrival at Brunswick was nearly out of

ANOTHER AERONAUT LOSES HIS LIFE.

DROPPED INTO LAKE ERIE AT TOLEDO-E D. COLE IS DROWNED. Toledo, Ohio, Aug. 30.-E. D. Cole, of Ann Arbor,

Mich., an aeronaut, was drowned in the bay off Presque Isle this afternoon, and his companion, Josie Carmo, narrowly escaped a similar fate. The couple have been for some time giving balloon ascensions at the Casino, a resort on the bay shore They made an ascension this afternoon and were to drop with parachutes. The high wind carried the balloon off shore, and in a short time Cole and his companion found themselves struggling in the water. Miss Carmo's life preserver held her uputil assistance came, but Cole's got away from him, and, being unable to swim, he quickly sank.

FOREST FIRES IN THE NORTHWEST. Astoria, Ore., Aug. 30. - Forest fires are still ragin; in the vicinity of Oakpoint, Wash, but a cha

in the wind has deflected the flames northward, and Oakpoint City, as well as several large cannerle on the Columbia River, which were threatened, an now out of danger. Benson's logging camp, the largest plant in this section, was destroyed by fig-last night; loss \$40.00. Twenty square miles it heavy timber has been consumed, entailing a los-of nearly half a million dollars. The fire is not well back in the forest, and several logging camp-are threatened. Settlers have removed their stock and effects to places of safety, and so far as know-no lives have been lost. The country for mile around is covered with a dense cloud of smoke, at navigation on the Columbia is rendered hazardou.

NEW MOTOR CARS FOR THE BRIDGE. Chicago, Aug. 30.-The first consignment of ne motor cars to be used on the Brooklyn Bridge wi be sent east in a day or two, and will probable reach Brooklyn within a week. The cars are made by the Pullman Company. Your of them are finished and are ready for shipment.

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